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For: DEMAND-RESPONSE ENERGY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

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In response to the Office Action dated December 13, 2004, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

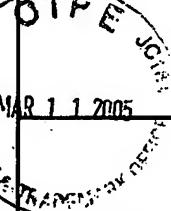
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Invention: DEMAND-RESPONSE ENERGY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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